

by water, shoulder deep, this water still being a part of the racing current. It got into the first floors of all of these houses. The rest of the avenue is still partially submerged and mammoth fences, logs, straw and driftwood decorate it in unsightly fashion. Of course, the swinging bridge is gone as there is a single stretch of water from Maplewood avenue over to the Pittsburgh Plate factory. The "Jungles" constitute a swamp, with nondescript articles floating about therein.

#### BOARD OF HEALTH

Must Look After Condition in The West End

The foregoing embodies much of the typical scenes now existing in the west end of our city. In most of the cases, they are deplorable and order can not possibly be restored without outside assistance. The board of health must be particularly active as a crisis is actually impending. Each citizen of this district must bear in mind that sanitation spells health for him and his family and precautionary measures can not be too great. In these ill-salvation.

#### ROAD-BED OUT

Was All That Saved The B. & O. Railroad Bridge

While the fact that the B. & O. road-bed was put away south of the "Slid-ey" bridge may seem deplorable, it is without a doubt a piece of exceedingly good fortune. Had the road-bed held firmly and allowed the water to bank higher as it most surely would have done, the force of the current in the creek bed would necessarily have been increased greatly and the water would have been much higher at that point. With conditions of this kind the bridge could not have held and would have gone out. The safety of the viaduct and the Pennsylvania bridge would then have been in the hands of providence. Had the heavy bridge been carried with the current as far as the viaduct it would have meant a terrific collision and the loosening of the foundations of the stone structure. It could not, in a weakened condition, have braced the flood and would have been torn away. With nothing to check the water at the point where the viaduct stands it would have no doubt carried away the east abutments of the big Pennsylvania bridge and allowed it to drop down into the current. Looking at the situation from this angle it seems very fortunate that the B. & O. road-bed gave way just at the time when it did.

#### TRAIN SERVICE

On B. & O. East May Be Restored in 24 Hours

Mr. J. C. Patterson, the Mt. Vernon agent of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, stated Wednesday morning that train service from Mt. Vernon east will probably be restored in 24 hours, but that the western service can not be offered until Friday night or Saturday morning.

The station was also affected by the flood, water pouring into the cellar to a depth of one foot.

#### TRAVELING MEN

Are Held Up in This City By The Flood

Twenty-five men and two women from all sections of the country are laid up in the city as a result of the suspended traffic on the trains running in and out of the city. These people have turned the railroad cars into a sort of home and are using them for sleeping purposes. They are all taking their meals at the Curtis Hotel.

In a case of this kind, where passengers are held up on account of wreckage on the railroad tracks, the expense of their maintenance is born by the railroad company.

#### MT. VERNON MAN

Lost All His Clothing in The Flood At Dayton Ohio

Mr. A. E. Sawlman of Mt. Vernon was in the worst of the flood at Dayton, but telephoned to his family in this city Wednesday that he escaped without injury, although he lost all his clothing in the flood.

#### DAMAGE AT GAMBIER

Gambier, O., March 26—Several persons had narrow escapes from drowning here Tuesday but three were fatalities. The home of Samuel Hunter and family about five miles west of here along the river was washed away but every member of the family escaped. The approach to the large wagon bridge just west of Gambier was washed away but the bridge remains intact.

Read Rockwell's Farm ad in today's Banner.

## RESCUE FAMILIES

From Their Homes On The West Side Of The City

Police And Fire Departments Do Good Work

One Of The Fire Team Came Near Drowning

People Rescued From Their Homes In Canoe

Families Taken Care Of In The M. E. Church

Most valuable assistance was rendered by the members of the Mt. Vernon police and fire departments and Mr. Patrick Purcell of the Associated Charities in caring for persons who had been rendered homeless by the terrible flood of Tuesday morning.

Many Families Aided  
The old fire department wagon and a team of horses from the Third ward engine house was on the scene of the flood in the west end of the city at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday morning in charge of Chief of Police Clements and other officers and members of the fire department. All Tuesday morning and all day Tuesday and up until 11:30 at night the rescuers worked most diligently.

Fourteen wagon loads of people were rescued from homes in the west end of the city. This included more than fourteen persons and in a number of cases there were several persons in one family. It was shortly before midnight when the last wagonload was brought to a place of safety and the tired-out rescuers went to bed.

Cared For At Church  
Three families are being cared for at the Gay Street Methodist Episcopal church until the waters subside.

On Tuesday 16 persons were cared for at the church. Cots and bed clothing were procured at Camp Sychar and taken to the church and the people made as comfortable as possible. The associated charities furnished provisions and the ladies of the Gay Street M. E. church assisted in the cooking of the eatables at the church. By night many persons were able to return to their homes, but three families were compelled to remain at the church all night and were taken care of on Wednesday.

A Thrilling Experience  
Chief of Police Clements, Sheriff John M. Woolison and Fireman Butcher had a thrilling experience on Tuesday afternoon and at the same time one of the fire department horses came very near drowning. The officers received a call to come immediately to Maplewood avenue where a family was in great danger of drowning. The officers started to the scene in the wagon down West High street. As the wagon went further west the current was so strong that Driver Butcher decided to turn over to Burgess street and reach Maplewood avenue in this way.

As the wagon reached a point about one block this side of Riverside park the wagon went into a deep hole and one of the horses fell and became entangled in the harness and could not get up. Chief Clements, Sheriff Woolison and Fireman Butcher jumped into the water and succeeded in rescuing the horse by cutting the harness. The chief rode one of the horses to a place of safety and the sheriff the other, while Fireman Butcher was compelled to wade out with the water up to his neck. The old fire wagon was abandoned in the middle of Burgess street and as still there on Wednesday morning. The patrol wagon was then taken out and was used by the rescuers for the remainder of the day.

Rescued Drunken Man  
Officer Walter George also had an exciting experience during the afternoon while rescuing a drunken man. The man had filled up on booze and in some way got out into the water and in order to save himself from drowning grabbed a fence and held on with all his might. He was unable to get away from the fence and in the meantime the water was creeping higher and higher. Finally a call was sent for the police and Officer George responded. He succeeded in rescuing the man after wading into deep water and then he was nearly pulled under by the drunk.

A Canoe Was Used  
While making the rescue of Tuesday afternoon it was necessary to use a canoe in taking the members of two families to a place of safety. The canoe was operated by Mr. Harry W. Koons and Mr. William L. Robinson, and the two handled the light craft like experts. After getting up to the door of one house and the members of the family refused to get into the canoe, but stated that they were without bread and needed some of the staff of life. The two men in the canoe went back to land secured the bread and then started again to the house in the canoe. This time they ran into a fence and were unable to reach the house. One of the men stood up in the canoe and threw the bread towards the house. The man missed the parcel and bread fell into the rushing waters. Mr. Koons and Mr. Robinson started after the bread in the canoe and succeeded in picking it up. The second time they went back to the house and this time the man caught the bread in his arms.

Two women and a man were taken from a house into the canoe and removed to a place of safety.  
The Last Trip Made  
At 11:30 Tuesday night the members of the police department and Mr. Patrick Purcell drove to all the flooded sections of the city to inquire if any needed assistance. They found that all had been taken care of.

Didn't Go To Bed  
Chief of Police Clements, the members of the police force and the city firemen remained up and on duty all night for fear that the waters might rise and their services would be needed in rescuing those in danger.

Early Wednesday morning Chief Clements, Officer Hough and Fireman Detrick made a trip through the west and south-west sections of the city in the patrol wagon and found everything to be all right, as far as any immediate assistance was necessary.

Are You Constipated?  
If so, get a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, take them regularly and your trouble will quickly disappear. They will stimulate the liver, improve your digestion and get rid of all the poisons from your system. They will surely get you well again. 25c at G. R. Baker & Co.

## DAMAGE BY FLOOD

To Bridges in Knox County Will Amount To \$100,000

Is The Estimate Given By An Expert Bridge Man

The Greatest Loss In Eastern Part Of The County

Man Confined In Jail On Account Of The Flood

Other Items Of Interest From The Court House

The county commissioners at the present time have been unable to figure the loss in Knox county brought about by the washing away of bridges by the flood of Tuesday.

A Mt. Vernon man, an expert in the bridge business, estimates that the loss in Knox county will reach \$100,000.

According to report the greatest loss will be in eastern Knox county, down around Brink Haven, where it is reported that three large county bridges are gone. The West Gambier street bridge will probably be a total loss and then there are other bridges out up around Fredericktown and north of the village. Bridges are also reported out east of Gambier.

Kober Still In Jail—

John Kober, better known in Mt. Vernon as Philip Kober, is still confined in the Knox county jail on a charge of burglarizing a barber shop in West Union, West Virginia. Kober will probably be compelled to remain several days in jail on account of the flood. Chief of Police Clements received a telegram from Chief of Police John R. Dotson of West Union, W. Va., Tuesday evening that he had started for Mt. Vernon after the prisoner, but had been held up at Parkersburg, W. Va., on account of the high waters. In the meantime Kober will languish in the county jail until the chief of police arrives.

Motion For New Trial—

A motion for a new trial has been filed in probate court by Attorneys Crouch and Rawlins in the case of Charity Ann Robinson, which was decided by Judge Wilkins a few days ago and in which the court refused to remove the guardian.

The Burger Estate—

Daniel Keller and Jacob A. Burger of Butler have been appointed administrators of Levi S. Burger, giving bond in the sum of \$2,000, with A. M. Stewart and J. W. Keller as sureties. The appraisers are Joseph N. Bechtel, John Coleman and Frank Cunningham.

Deeds Filed—

George H. Ferenbaugh to Charles G. Weaver, lot in city, \$1.  
M. S. Banning to O. S. Hotchkiss, parcel in city, \$1.

Best Known Cough Remedy

For forty-three years Dr. King's New Discovery has been known throughout the world as the most reliable cough remedy. Over three million bottles were used last year. Isn't this proof? It will get rid of your cough, or we will refund your money. J. J. Owens, of Allendale, S. C., writes the way hundreds of others have done: "After twenty years, I find that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds that I have ever used." For coughs or colds and all throat and lung troubles, it has no equal. 50c and \$1.00 at G. R. Baker & Co.

Inspection Tonight

The annual inspection of Clinton Chap. No. 28, R. A. M., will occur this evening. Supper at 6 o'clock and work at 7 o'clock. All Chapter Masons are invited.

CASTORIA  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson

Miss Harriet Stanley of Delaware, O., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Sapp, East Gambier street.

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## BRIDGES

Between Two Towns Are Washed Away

Much Damage Is Reported Near Greer

Greer, O., March 26—Every wagon bridge between Loudonville and Warsaw is reported to have been washed away by Tuesday's high water. The railroad bridges however, held firm and did not go down. The T. W. V. & O. tracks north of here are washed out for a distance of nearly a mile and train service over the line will be held up for an indefinite length of time. The large wagon bridge here is gone and the Hyde bridge north of here has also been carried away. The Robinson bridge a short distance south of Greer was taken out early Tuesday morning.

Several houses and barns in this vicinity have been washed away with all of their contents but no lives were lost.

The Cause of Rheumatism

Stomach trouble, lazy liver and deranged kidneys are the cause of rheumatism. Get your stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels in healthy condition by taking Electric Bitters, and you will not be troubled with the pains of rheumatism. Charles B. Allen, a school principal, of Sylvan, Ga., who suffered indescribable torture from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys, writes: "All remedies failed until I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely." Maybe your rheumatic pains come from stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Electric Bitters will give you prompt relief. 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by G. R. Baker & Co.

FREDERICKTOWN

Mr. Wesley Hacock of Mt. Liberty visited with his mother a few days the past week.

Mr. John Russell moved his household effects to Mt. Vernon the past week.

Mrs. Lottie Hille, of Indiana, visited with her sister, Mrs. Harriet Wilson, the past week.

Miss Hazel Davis, of Mt. Vernon, visited with friends in this vicinity the past week.

Marion Dustin and family will move to the Clint Corwin farm this spring.

Mrs. Eugene Osborn, of Pelee, Ohio, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mitchell the past week.

Mrs. Mary Wotzell visited with friends in Columbus the past week.

Mrs. Charles Keese visited with her parents in Morrow county the past week.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a gold medal contest at Ankenytown next Friday and another one at Watford on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Henry Woodward was called to Newark the past week by the illness of her sister.

The M. E. Brotherhood are planning to give a lecture course again next winter. The course the past season netted the organization about sixty-five dollars.

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You will soon realize its wonderful influence by the absence of headache, a decided clearing of the air passages, a steadily improved nasal condition, and a sense of bodily relief that proves how completely catarrh often interferes with the entire system. You will find S. S. S. on sale at all drug stores at \$1.00 per bottle. It is a remarkable remedy for any and all blood affections, such as eczema, rash, lupus, tetter, psoriasis, boils and all scrofulous conditions. For special advice on any blood disease write in confidence to The Swift Specific Co., 127 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Do not delay to get a bottle of S. S. S. at your druggist.

GEORGIA D. A. R. MEET

Augusta, Ga., March 26—Practically every local chapter in the state of Georgia is represented by delegates at the State convention of the D. A. R. of this state, which opened here today for a session extending over three days. The Augusta Chapter is the host of the visiting delegates and has arranged an interesting program for the entertainment of the visitors.

Best For Skin Diseases

Nearly every skin disease yields quickly and permanently to Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and nothing is better for burns or bruises. Soothes and heals. John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich., says, after suffering twelve years with skin ailment and spending \$400 in doctor's bills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. It will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by G. R. Baker & Co.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of

OLIVE COE

late of Knox county, Ohio, deceased, by the probate court of said county, March 19th, 1913.

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Rugs in all sizes, linoleums in all widths and no advance in prices, which means money saved to the buyer.

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Or on Certificate of \$500.00 and over which bears 5 per cent interest payable annually.

The Knox Savings & Loan Ass'n.,

C. F. COLVILLE, Sec'y.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Oliver D. Thompson vs. The Chambers Window Glass Co. Knox Common Pleas.

By virtue of execution on transcript issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Knox County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House, in Mount Vernon, Knox County, on

Saturday, the 12th day of April, 1913,

between the hours of 1 p. m. and 3 p. m. of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit:

The following described real estate in Clinton township, Knox County, Ohio, and being a part or parcel of land out of Lot 15, in the second quarter, sixth township, and thirteenth range in said T. P. County and State, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point at the northeast corner of a small lot formerly owned by Eliza A. Trott et al; thence north 3 1/4 degrees east twenty (20) feet to a stake; thence south 8 1/4 degrees east 1.5 rods to a stake; thence North 2 1/4 degrees east 6 1/2 rods to an iron stake; thence S 1/4 degrees west 3 1/2 rods to a post; thence South 2 1/4 degrees east 4 1/2 rods to a post; thence South 5 1/4 degrees east 27.30 rods to the place of beginning. Appraised at seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750.00).

Terms of sale—Cash.

J. M. WOOLISON, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio.

L. T. Crouley, attorney for plaintiff.

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